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Straight and level maneuvers.		Source was driving in the rain. Claims to have heard "swooshing" sound above sound of windshield wipers. Did not get good enough look at object to describe it. Did see "flames coming from both ends."				

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At 0105 hours (local time) on the 21st of April 1952 a strange object was sighted by Mrs. The near La Crosse, Wisconsin. This object rotated, made "whooshing" sounds and appeared to produce flames from both ends.

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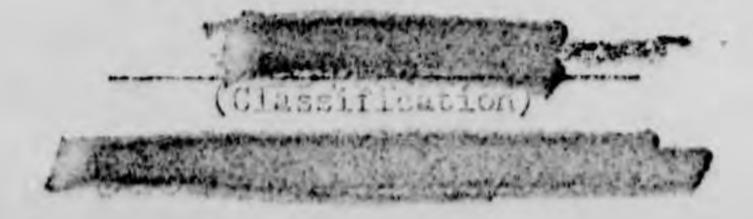
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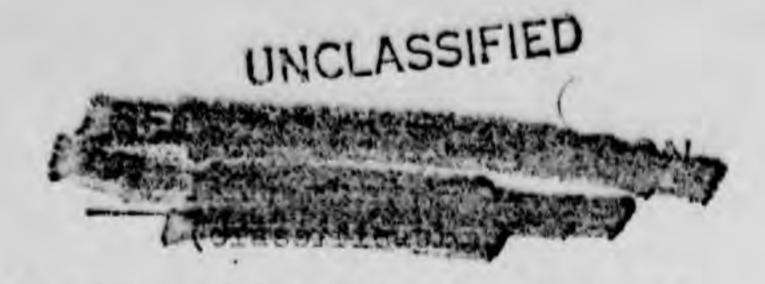
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The 72nd Air Base Squadron at Wold-Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis, Minnesota, has forwarded to us a letter from Mrs. Codward. She reported sighting a flying object. The details of the sighting are reported below:

DESCRIPTION IN OBSERV R'S TORDS: "I saw a strange object flying through the sky. I am not able to give a very complete description of what I saw, however, I did gain the following impressions: (1) That it seemed to be spinning; (2) It came from the general direction of what I would guess to be North by Northeast and traveled in a straight Southerly direction; (3) It was travelling parallel to the ground; (4) There seemed to be flames coming from both ends of the object; (5) I very definitely heard a "whooshing" sound. I heard this sound very clearly over the sound of my windshield wipers; (6) I am not able to guess how fast it was travelling, yet the "whooshing" sounds, which seemed to accompany each turn of the object, came at what I would guess to be one (1) second intervals."

TIM: 21/10053

MANTER OF OBSERVATION: Visual

LOCATION OF OBSERVER DURING SIGHTING: Driving North on highway 53 between Holmen and Galesville, Wisconsin.

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER: None but that contained in her letter and mentioned above.

MATHER: Mearest weather reporting station is LaCrosse, Wisconsin whose weather reports are as follows:

03300-7,000 ft overcest, 10 miles visibility, rain showers, S wind 5 mph.

04300-8,000 ft overcast, 8 miles visibility, rain showers, calm

This area was known to have scattered rain clouds during the time in question. Skies in vicinity of rain clouds were generally overcast or broken at approximately 7,000 ft above terrain. Visibility was reduced to 6 to 8 miles in occasional and scattered rain showers.

ANY OTHER ACTIVITY OR CONDITION WHICH MIGHT ACCOUNT FOR THE SIGHTINGS: None known.

PHYSECAL EVIDENCE: No known physical evidence.

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EXTRACT FROM STATUS REPORT # 6

DATE: 21 Apr 52

TIME (Local): 0405

LOCATION: LaCrosse, Wisc. .

LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED: Not Reported .

SOUND: "Mooshing"

SPEED: Unknown

ALITTUDE: Unknown

HEADING: 180°

SOURCE: County Murse

ACTION OR COMMENTS: Object may have been light blurred by rain on windshield of

automobile.

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT: Source observed object which "appeared to be rotating

with fire coming out of both ends ". Observed through

windshield during rainstorm.

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